## **Tech Talk Tuesday**





## MacBook Accessibility



photo of macbook accessibility settings menu

MacOS has many built in features that can make viewing and navigating the screen easier with little or no vision.

#### **Display features**

- Use a single slider to adjust the reading size for text across multiple apps and system features. See Make text and icons bigger across apps and system features.
- Make it easier to find the pointer on the screen by

changing its size or color, or making it bigger when you quickly move it. See Make the pointer easier to see.

#### **VoiceOver**

Use VoiceOver, the built-in screen reader on your Mac, to speak what's on the screen, and the text in documents, webpages, and windows.

#### **Zoom features**

Make content on the screen larger and easier to see by zooming the entire screen or an area of it.

#### **Spoken Content features**

Customize the voice your Mac uses to speak text, and have your Mac speak announcements, items under the pointer, and whatever you type or select.

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